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SUBJ: TTBT/PNE NEGOTIATIONS: PROTOCOL PARA ON EQUIPMENT EXAMINATION
AND CUSTODY - TTBT/PNE DELEGATION MESSAGE NO. 75

1. COMPLETE TEXT OF US PROTOCOL ARTICLE VII PARA 4 NOW ON
TABLE IS AS FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT.

4. NOT LATER THAN 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF
EMPLACEMENT OF THE EXPLOSIVES IN CONNECTION WITH WHICH THE
FOLLOWING IS TO BE USED, TWO COMPLETE SETS OF ELECTRICAL
EQUIPMENT FOR YIELD DETERMINATION AS DESCRIBED IN PARA-
GRAPH 1 OF ARTICLE XI AND SPARE PARTS, AND TWO COMPLETE SETS
OF SEISMIC EQUIPMENT CONSTITUTING THE LOCAL SEISMIC NETWORK
AND SPARE PARTS, WHICH SETS OF EQUIPMENT SHALL HAVE THE SAME
TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS AS THE CORRESPONDING EQUIPMENT
SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 3 OF THIS ARTICLE, AND SPECIFIC
INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE EMPLACEMENT OF THE
SENSING ELEMENT BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH PARAGRAPH 2(A) OF ARTICLE XI OF THIS PROTOCOL,
SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE SITE OF THE EXPLOSION. NOT
LATER THAN 15 DAYS BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF THE EMPLACE-
MENT OF THE EXPLOSIVES DESIGNATED PERSONNEL SHALL
DEMONSTRATE TO THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION THAT
THIS EQUIPMENT IS IN WORKING ORDER, AND THE PARTY CARRY-
ING OUT THE EXPLOSION SHALL CHOOSE ONE OF THE TWO SETS

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OF EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED ABOVE TO BE USED BY DESIGNATED

PERSONNEL. THIS CHOSEN SET SHALL REMAIN IN THE CUSTODY OF DESIGNATED PERSONNEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE X OF THIS PROTOCOL, OR IN MUTUALLY AGREED SECURE STORAGE. PERSONNEL OF THE PARTY CARRY OUT THE EXPLOSION SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO OBSERVE THE USE OF THIS EQUIPMENT BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL. EQUIPMENT NOEN FOR USE IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONDUCT OF THE EXPLOSION SHALL BE AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION UNTIL 30 DAYS AFTER THE EXPLOSION AT WHICH TIME IT SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE OTHER PARTY. EACH SET OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR YIELD DETERMINATION AND EACH SET OF SEISMIC EQUIPMENT SHALL INCLUDE TWO SETS OF COMPONENTS FOR RECORDING DATA, BOTH OF WHICH SHALL BE USED TO SIMULTANEOUSLY RECORD THE DATA. AFTER THE EXPLOSION, AND AFTER DUPLICATE COPIES OF ALL DATA HAVE BEEN OBTAINED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL AND THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION, ONE OF EACH TWO SETS OF COMPONENTS FOR RECORDING DATA SHALL BE SELECTED BY AN AGREED PROCESS OF CHANCE, TO BE RETAINED IN THE CUSTODY OF THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION FOR A PERIOD THAT MAY BE AS LONG AS 30 DAYS, AFTER WHICH TIME THESE SETS OF EQUIPMENT SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE OTHER PARTY. ALL EQUIPMENT OTHER THAN THE EQUIPMENT THAT MAY BE RETAINED BY THE PARTY CARRYING OUT THE EXPLOSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL BE REMOVED BY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL.

END TEXT.

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